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GAIN WEEK.

Carpets, that were 58 and 65c
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Carpets, that were 50c a yard
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the Elk's Circus, July 4. Secure
your tickets early.



THE GREATEST - SALE!

OF THE MAMMOTH'S HISTORY

BEGAN THIS MORNING.

And continues for six days; until the clock strikes 11 Saturday night. THE MAMMOTH stands in the foremost ranks of Northwestern Ohio as the largest and most liberal merchants, and we intend to remain there. We announce a sale for to-day and the balance of the week that will lash to the verge of lunacy our slavish and barren minded imitators. Men's Suits, positively sold and worth \$12 and \$10, for \$7.48. Men's all wool Suits, positively sold and worth \$7 and \$6, for \$4.48. Children's Suits, positively sold and worth \$4.50, \$4 and \$3.50 for \$2.48. Men's Straw Hats, choice of the house, 98 cents, every one worth \$2 and \$1.50.

Men's \$12 and \$10

SUITS

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\$7.48

THESE SUITS,

Men's high grade, tailor made, fine fitting Suits, made from strictly all wool fabrics, in neat mixtures, fancy checks, handsome plaids, dark colors and the best of light colors; all styles and sizes. Not a Suit in the lot that has not been sold for \$12 and \$10, and considered cheap at that. Take your choice at \$7.48.

Men's \$7 and \$6

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THESE SUITS,

Men's all wool Cheviot, Tweed or Cassimere Suits, plain colors or neat light effects, in single breasted Sack Coats, and every size to 44 chest. Every one of these Suits is certainly worth, and retails at \$7 and \$6. You can walk into our store and take your choice of any of them for the unheard of price of \$4.48.

Children's \$4.50 and \$4

SUITS

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\$2.48

THESE SUITS

Are all this season's production, made up of the very best materials in light, medium and dark shades, single and double breasted, every one of them worth, and regular selling price is \$4.50, \$4 and \$3.50; your unrestricted choice of any of them \$2.48.

Men's \$4.50, \$4 and \$3.50

PANTS

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\$2.73

THESE PANTS

Are made and cut the latest style from the newest fabrics, and every pair all wool and made up from the following materials, such as fancy cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds in light, medium and dark shades. Your own choice of any these Pants for \$2.73.

Boys' Clothing Bargains.

Children's Union Cassimere and Worsteds pants worth 35c, go in this sale at 16c
Children's Percalé Waists, worth 35c, go in this sale for 16c
Children's fine cassimere and worsted pants, worth 75 cents, go in this sale for 44c
Children's fine wash suits, imported materials, worth \$1.50, go in this sale for 73c
Children's union cassimere suits, guaranteed to wear well, worth \$1.75, go in this sale for 98c

Furnishing Goods Bargains.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters, regular 35c quality, go in this sale for 15c
Men's linen bosom, unlaundried shirts, 65c quality, go in this sale for 43c
Men's fine percale shirts, unlaundried, with colored bosom and cuffs and white bodies, worth 75c, go in this sale for 39c
Men's balbriggan underwear, 40c kind, go in this grand bargain sale for 27c
Men's laundried Negligee shirts with collar attached, worth 75c, go in this sale for 48c
100 dozen men's hose in black and brown worth 12c, going at this sale for 4c

FURNISHING GOODS BARGAINS.

Men's fine Egyptian yarn Underwear, worth 75c, go in this sale at 48c
Men's fine silk finished Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, regular \$1 values, go in this sale at 73c
Men's fine percale shirts, with two detached collars and extra cuffs, cheap at \$1.50, our price this week 98c
50 dozen men's black and brown Hose, warranted fast color, sold everywhere at 20 cents, our price 12c
50 dozen men's fine Suspenders, with non-elastic webbs and elastic ends, great values at 45c, our special price 23c
40 dozen men's fine hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with colored border, regular price 12c, our special price this week 7c

Hat Bargains.

Boys' and girls Yacht Caps, worth 35c, our special price 19c
Boys' Canton Braid Straw Hats, worth 50c, our special price 35c
Boys' Senate and Canton Braid Straw Hats, valued at \$1, go this week at 69c
Children's fine Sailor Hats in Milan and Canton Braids, regular selling price \$1.00, our special price 48c
Men's soft roll Brim and Yacht shape straw hats, worth \$1.00, your choice this week only 48c
Men's very fine Straw Hats, worth \$2 and \$1.50, your own pick of any of them for 98c

WE LEAD THEM ALL.

A STERN CHASE IS A LONG CHASE—COMPETITION LAGS FAR BEHIND.

Our Bargains beat the world—Our styles are fashion's standard.

Our variety leaves nothing to be desired—Our sterling qualities are our silent advertisers.

Our truthful announcements are our strongest weapons—Our lack of sensationalism secures for us a potent hearing.

Our modern methods command respect—Our progressive tactics down them all.

You Know Us. You Know Our Motto. We Always Do As We Advertise.

THE MAMMOTH.

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PRICE THREE CENT

ghost of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

Elizabeth street, just south of the electric lights have been and fifteen will be the illumination of the and tent on the night of the show that will visit Lima.
About 11 o'clock this morning John Bice, the shoemaker, appeared before Squire Atmure and signed an affidavit charging John C. Meyer with having stolen \$22 worth of cotton, linen and silk thread.
Meyer is a traveling man and represents a Boston shoemakers' supply house, and came here to sell goods. Bice claims that he packed up his samples at his place this morning and with them the goods belonging to his establishment. A warrant was issued and Constable Mumaugh, who learned that Meyer had gone to Sidney, telegraphed there for the authorities to arrest him.
and basket lunches, set put up at The Oriental Parties should order it on the 4th.
Drink soda from the new crystal spa fountain at The Orient.

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Special lot of
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The Bargain Dry Goods Store in Lima.

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ND SOME PRESENTS.

Room Set
and a Fine Cook Stove,

AT THE

SALE OF LOTS

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Y, JULY 1st,

M. ON THE GROUND.

RANCE SALE, and all lots will be sold re-

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TERMS of payment; ONLY \$10.00 CASH and
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round every Sunday before the sale and will
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C. H. FOLSOM,
HOLMES BLOCK, LIMA, O.

You Can Get
Your tickets at Porter's music store
the Elk's Circus, July 4. Secure
your tickets early.

Miss George Will Improving
Wash Surron June 25.—Miss Abigail
Dodge continues to grow stronger and
will leave the city within a day or two

roughness, as the ship was
four miles and Columbia won easily by
five lengths in 21:20, a minute below the
New London record. Near the finish
the Wincelvtina snail was swamped by
the chop of the tide.

Has China Refused?
London, June 25.—There are rumors
in London and St. Petersburg that
China refuses to sign the Russo-Chinese
loan.

Blackland field loss can not be estimated.
Negro Desperado Killed.
Ocala, Fla., June 25.—Jim Sanders,
a negro desperado, was shot and killed
by the city marshal.

50 dozen Shirt Waists re-
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TELEPHONE CALL, NO. 64.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

George C. Shook has opened a meat market on west North street.

Y. M. C. A. wheelmen will postpone the run to Lafayette this evening, to some time next week.

Olson Dickman had Jim Littler arrested last evening for alleged assault. Their stories differed, and Littler was allowed to go, after a confab with the mayor.

Willie Copeland, of east High street, fell from a straw stack yesterday afternoon and broke his left arm near the elbow. The fracture was reduced by Dr. A. W. Kahle.

Carl Goette, of Delphos, aged fifteen, road to this city on his bicycle. Decoration day and was taken with spinal meningitis immediately after returning home. He died yesterday afternoon.

The engine of a west bound freight train on the P. Ft. W. & C. was cut from the train at Delphos to get some cars off, when the others ran down the track and into a siding, smashing several up.

Mrs. Fred Farley, who has been bedfast for the past five months at her home on Greenlawn avenue, suffering from sciatic rheumatism, is very low and her case has been given up by the best medical talent in the city.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are. Where They Been and Are Going.

F. A. Hume was in Toledo yesterday.

T. K. Wilkins went to Van Wert this morning.

George Ackerley and wife, of Sidney, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Pangle.

Miss Lela Bower has returned from a visit with Miss Kate Ogilvie, of Columbus Grove.

Will Strohl, of Columbus Grove, is visiting Mr. Thos. Durkee and other friends in this city.

Mrs. John R. Hoban, of St. Paul, is the guest of his cousin, Miss

Mayme B. Kane, of south street.

Ex-Mayor Burnett, of S. was attendance at the 1 afternoon.

Joe A. and B. E. O'C turned last night from the lion college at Sandwich.

Mrs. U. D. Marshall re her home in Dayton yesterday a visit with Mrs. J. L. Price.

Mrs. George Schaefer, of C. is the guest of her son, Wm. and family of west McKibbin.

Mr. J. Gahrett, of Van yesterday the guest of J. Stewart, of 340 south Tait.

Miss Gail Bates is home to spend vacation, computed by a classmate.

George Hutchinson, of the guest of his brother, J. and family, of west street.

Don Baxter left last, Ann Arbor, Mich., to attend to be given by his child Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. M. Cook, of Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Don the W. C. T. U. convent, Rockport.

Dr. R. D. Kahle will re evening from Chicago, who been attending a special lectures on the eye.

Mrs. J. F. Collins and ch Hamilton, are the guests of Mrs. mother, Mrs. Callaghan north Jackson street.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Jone home last night from Detroit they attended a meeting of tal association. The meeting tended by over six hundred.

Mr. Frank Seward, of E. bride, nee Miss Mary McDe Vermillion, who were married last Wednesday at the city the guests of his law, councilman J. M. Mc family, of north Main street.

First Congregational C.

The Rev. J. Frances Da has so ably filled the pa this church during the years, will deliver his address next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Make it know and let there be a large turn.

Merry-Go-Around For private families on ext the corner of Tauner at streets.

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Expressed by the Members of the First Congregational Church

On Account of the Resignation Rev. J. Frances Davies—His Farewell Address Yesterday Morning.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Kemmer, a son.

Mrs. Chas. Devoe, of Greenlawn avenue, is very sick.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Tompkins, of South Lima—a daughter.

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DEEPEST SORROW

Expressed by the Members of the First Congregational Church

On Account of the Resignation Rev. J. Frances Davies—His Farewell Address Yesterday Morning.

Rev. J. Frances Davies, whose resignation as pastor of the First Congregational church was tendered on account of his ill health, and accepted, preached his farewell sermon yesterday morning, the large edifice, which was built through his efforts, being packed to hear the parting words of that eloquent divine. Rev. Davies spoke for an hour and delivered one of his finest sermons.

Rev. Davies leaves for Knoxville, Tenn., a week from Wednesday.

The following, prepared by a committee appointed from the congregation for the purpose, has been unanimously adopted:

To the Officers and Members of the First Congregational Church, Lima, Ohio: Greeting:

We the undersigned committee of deacons and laymen beg leave to submit to your discussion and approval the following expressions of friendship touching upon the resignation of our pastor, the Rev. J. Frances Davies.

To whom it may concern, Greeting:

The occasion which has created the necessity of formulating the following expressions of friendship, esteem and admiration for our beloved pastor, is one which has brought to our hearts deepest sorrow and regret.

The acceptance of his resignation is but our humble acquiescence to the inevitable—our reluctant submission to the mandatory edict of eminent physicians who demand his removal to a Southern climate; and while we shall indeed feel desolate and forsaken, may we not find solace and comfort in the thought—the truth—that under no other circumstances could he have been persuaded to offer his resignation, and that in accepting the same we have acted alone in the light of his own physical welfare, having buried our wishes, our preferences and our fondest desires.

Viewing in retrospect the nine years of his pastorate—so full of noble deeds, earnest, zealous Christian work, wise counsel, wholesome sound doctrine, able and scholarly administration of the "word"—we stand in awe of his magnificent character and life; and while he shall go from us into other pastures, the name of the "First Congregational Church" of Lima, Ohio, and that of the Rev. J. Frances Davies shall be with us one and inseparable, now and always, and we shall ever behold in vivid imagination the impress of his master hand upon the very walls of our church and endeavor to exemplify his teachings in our daily avocations.

In all the requirements of an expounder of the truth he stands at the head; none are his superior—few his equal. He carries with him to his new field of labor, wherever he may chance to cast his lot, on best wishes, our purest affection and love, our fondest hopes for his temporal spiritual welfare—aye, more than this, he will carry with him our very hearts.

To those who may be so fortunate as to secure his services as their pastor, we extend warmest congratulations, feeling and believing as we do that in him you will have secured a master workman, a thorough scholar, an independent, original thinker, a close student, and withal, a profound, conscientious, consistent Christian man, and we most affectionately commend him to your best consideration and care, bespeaking for him a place in your hearts: love him, care for him, trust him, support him, walk by his side, stand shoulder to shoulder with him in every good work, and your associations will be abundantly blessed.

Signed, B. F. THOMAS, O. W. SMITH, R. H. GAMBLE, P. A. KAHLE, Com.

The above was unanimously adopted by the church this 16th day of June, 1895.

Signed, ARTHUR THOMAS, Clerk, First Congregational church, Lima, Ohio.

At the same meeting it was determined that no regular preaching should be had during the months of July and August, which is the time of the pastor's regular vacation. According to the rules of the church, when a pastor is to be selected there shall be established an "Ecclesiastical Council" whose duty it shall be to receive propositions from and arrange for services by the various applicants for the pastorate and extend a call to such person as may be selected by the church. The names of those who were chosen as members of this council are as follows: R. H. Gamble, B. F. Thomas, J. B. Derringer, O. W. Smith, C. D. Crites, B. H. Lepley, P. A. Kahle.

Any services which may be arranged for by this council during July and August, or thereafter, will be duly announced through the papers.

Lawn Party this evening by Ladies of Episcopal church.

Masonic Installation.

The Occidental Lodge of F. and A. M., will hold a public installation and entertainment this evening St. Johns Day, at St. Paul's A. M. E. church.

FANS It is a "Treat" to have a fan from Treat's Dry Goods Store. Try one.

MILLINERY

At prices that will strike the fastidious, common sense and economical side of every woman.

The Metellus Thomson Dry Goods Co., Stores 233 and 235 North Main Street.

Cleaning Up, Closing Out, Every Vestige of

Summer Millinery

In sight. Children's Mull Hats and Caps, 81 and 81.25 qualities sell now for 55 cents. 75 cent qualities sell now for 35 cents. 50 cent qualities sell now for 20 cents. 25 and 35 cent qualities sell now for 9 cents.

SILK AND VELVET

FLOWERS

Sell now for 15, 25 and 35 cents that are half and even less than half of former prices.

HATS

Trimmed and Untrimmed.

Bonnets, Napoleons, Sailors, Leghorns,

All and every one of those that's left from this season's rapid selling goes at an enormous cut in price.

Sale commences at 10 a. m.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are. Where They Been and Are Going.

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Mrs. Anna M. Lye and son John, of Chicago, Ill., are visiting with her mother, Mrs. B. Wagner, and sisters Mrs. Bert Coates, and other friends, of this city.

Infantry Director Morrison, of Findlay, was in the city to day and took four children, who belong in his county from the Home here, back with him this afternoon.

F. F. W. & C. detective Jas. Harley was in town yesterday afternoon looking after strange and curious animals for the Elks' circus at Lima on the Fourth. He went home empty-handed.—Delphos Herald.

Mrs. James Langan, of Elizabeth

It Tells the Story

On one hand and on the other. Always underbidding and always underselling. Both combined makes ours the busiest stores in Lima.

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THIS WEEK

The last six days in June—the 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th, and June, the beautiful month of roses, the prettiest of the year, will be gone. Then good-bye June until time with its unvarying course travels once more around its monthly circle. In these six days we will finish the job we began—make this the busiest month we have ever had.

Tuesday Morning Special,

2,000 yards of Creponettes,

Patterns and styles right in touch with this progressive age, a variety of colorings and weaves which astonish as well as please the buyers. 30 inches wide and worth 12½c a yard, placed on sale Monday for the delight of our patrons at

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Limit of 10 yards to any one customer.

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